## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Docket No: Q69368 Masatoshi HOTTA, et al. Appln. No.: 10/508,858 Group Art Unit: 1795 Examiner: Matthew J MERKLING Confirmation No.: 8566 Filed: September 24, 2004 For: REACTION APPARATUS AND REACTION METHOD AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS......2 REMARKS......5